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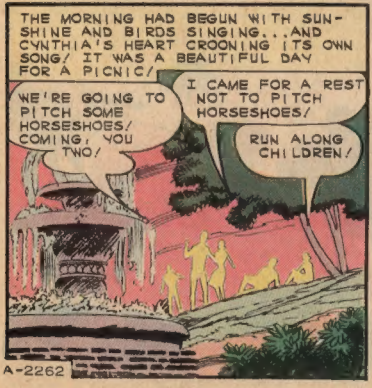
PICNICS END
LET ME THROUGH, PLEASE! I'M A DOCTOR!
I COULDN'T STOP! I WAS GOING ONLY 25 MILES AN HOUR! SHE RAN OUT FROM BEHIND THE HEDGE! I COULDN'T STOP...

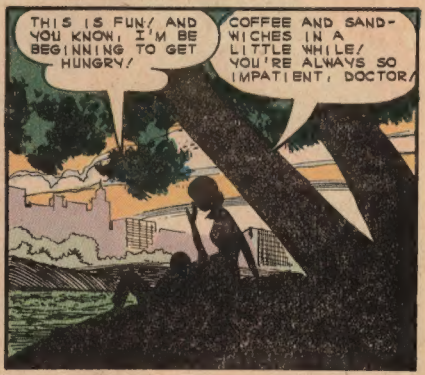

THE MORNING HAD BEGUN WITH SUNSHINE AND BIRDS SINGING...AND CYNTHIA'S HEART CROONING ITS OWN SONG! IT WAS A BEAUTIFUL DAY FOR A PICNIC!
WE'RE GOING TO PITCH SOME HORSESHOES! COMING, YOU TWO!
I CAME FOR A REST NOT TO PITCH HORSESHOES!
RUN ALONG CHILDREN!

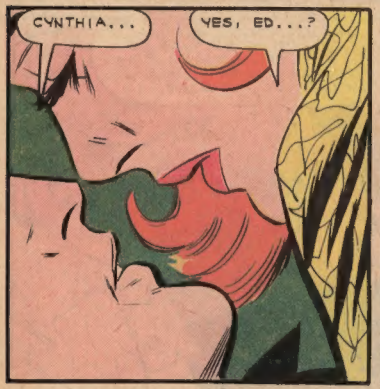
FUNNY HOW PEOPLE GO ON PICNICS TO RELAX THEN DO ALL THEY CAN TO TIRE THEMSELVES OUT! HMMM, THIS GROUND ISN'T TOO SOFT!

HOW'S THAT?
AH, MUCH BETTER/

Y'KNOW, YOU'RE DIFFERENT OUT HERE SOMEHOW THAN YOU ARE IN THE HOSPITAL/ SOFT, FEMININE AND VERY PRETTY... AND NICE, TOO/
WHY, DOCTOR, HOW YOU GO ON/

I NEVER THOUGHT YOU'D NOTICE/
I HAVE SO VERY LITTLE TIME TO NOTICE ANYTHING/ ALWAYS SO BUSY...SO MUCH TO DO, SO MUCH TO LEARN AND KEEP ON LEARNING...IT NEVER ENDS/


THIS IS FUN/ AND YOU KNOW, I'M BE BEGINNING TO GET HUNGRY/
COFFEE AND SANDWICHES IN A LITTLE WHILE/ YOU'RE ALWAYS SO IMPATIENT, DOCTOR/


CYNTHIA...
YES, ED...?

LISTEN...DID YOU HEAR THAT...THE SCREAM OF BRAKES AND THAT SHRIEK?
IT CAME FROM BEHIND THOSE TREES AND BUSHES... THERE'S A ROAD THERE...

LET ME THROUGH I'M A DOCTOR AND THE YOUNG LADY IS A NURSE!
WE JUST SENT FOR THE AMBULANCE!
I COULDN'T STOP IN TIME! SHE DARTED OUT FROM BEHIND THE HEDGE...

HOW DOES IT LOOK, DOCTOR?
SPLINTERS OF BONE PRESSING AGAINST THE BRAIN! I'M GOING TO OPERATE IMMEDIATELY! MAKE THE PREPARATIONS, PLEASE!

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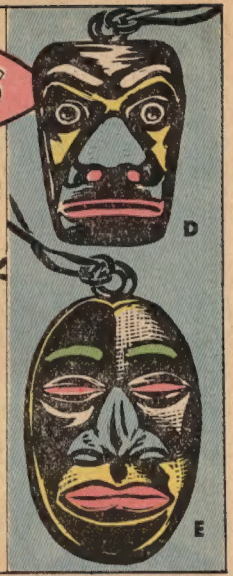

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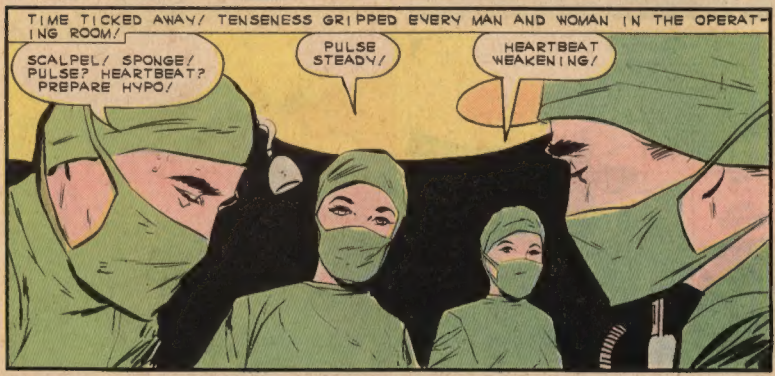
DR. MOULTON, YOU'LL ASSIST, PLEASE/ NURSE, DOYLE, STAND BY/

THE OPERATION BEGAN/ IT WAS A DELICATE JOB/ ANY SLIGHT DISTURBANCE OR MISCALCULATION COULD MEAN DEATH, CRIPPLING OR MENTAL DETERIORATION TO THE LITTLE CHILD/
DRILL/ SPONGE OFF/ PULSE?
STEADY/

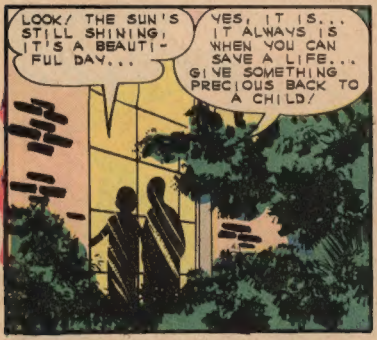

TIME TICKED AWAY/ TENSENESS GRIPPED EVERY MAN AND WOMAN IN THE OPERATING ROOM/
SCALPEL/ SPONGE/ PULSE? HEARTBEAT? PREPARE HYPO/
PULSE STEADY/
HEARTBEAT WEAKENING/

CLOSE UP, DR. MOULTON/

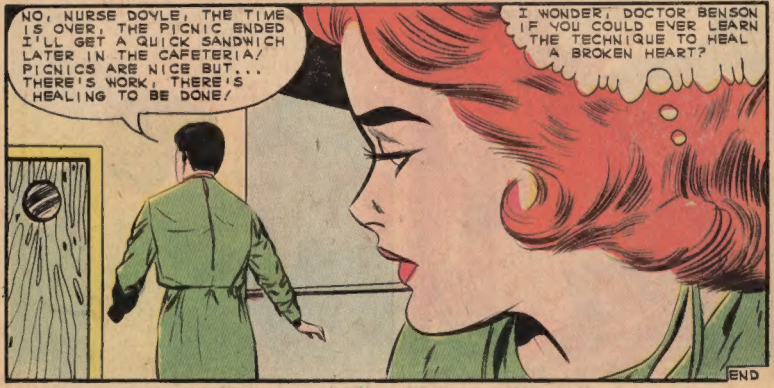
A BEAUTIFUL JOB, DR. BENSON/ THAT LITTLE CHILD OWES HER LIFE TO YOU/
THANKS, DR. FRANKLIN/

CYNTHIA DOYLE

TOO BAD IT HAD TO BE INTERRUPTED! I SUGGEST YOU CONTINUE IT! I'LL TELL THE CHILD'S PARENTS THAT YOU PERFORMED THE MINOR MIRACLE AND THEIR CHILD WILL BE AS GOOD AS NEW!
THANKS, DOCTOR!


LOOK! THE SUN'S STILL SHINING, IT'S A BEAUTIFUL DAY...
YES, IT IS... IT ALWAYS IS WHEN YOU CAN SAVE A LIFE... GIVE SOMETHING PRECIOUS BACK TO A CHILD!

NO, YOU NINNY, I MEAN A BEAUTIFUL DAY FOR A PICNIC! THE SANDWICHES WILL STILL BE THERE AND THE COFFEE'S HOT!
IF DR. BENSON IS ON THE PREMISES, PLEASE REPORT TO EMERGENCY SURGERY RIGHT AWAY!


NO, NURSE DOYLE, THE TIME IS OVER, THE PICNIC ENDED I'LL GET A QUICK SANDWICH LATER IN THE CAFETERIA! PICNICS ARE NICE BUT... THERE'S WORK, THERE'S HEALING TO BE DONE!
I WONDER, DOCTOR BENSON IF YOU COULD EVER LEARN THE TECHNIQUE TO HEAL A BROKEN HEART?
END

THE BRIBE

OH, ED, CAN'T YOU SEE WHAT THIS WILL LEAD TO...THE END OF YOUR INTEGRITY, OF ALL THE THINGS YOU STAND FOR...AND A BROKEN HEART FOR ME/

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THE PATIENT WAS ADMITTED AT 3 A. M. MONDAY MORNING/ DIAGNOSIS! AN OVERDOSE OF SLEEPING PILLS/

A STOMACH PUMP WAS USED AND STIMULANT ADMINISTERED/ THE PATIENT, RESTING QUIETLY, WAS TAKEN TO ROOM 404/ THE PATIENTS NAME WAS HESTER CONTOIS, WHITE, TWENTY-TWO UNMARRIED/

GIVE HER A MILD SEDATIVE NOW SO SHE'LL SLEEP UNTIL MORNING/

YES, ED...ER... DR. BENSON/

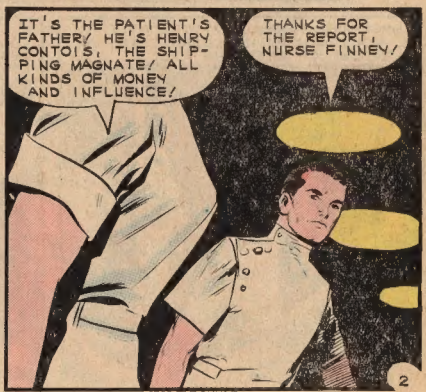
AND PLEASE REMEMBER HOSPITAL PROTOCOL, NURSE DOYLE/
YES, DR. BENSON, SIR... AND STAFF/

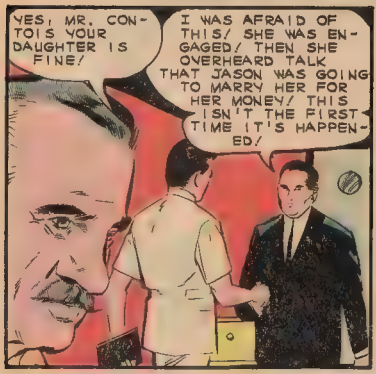
I THINK I'M BEGINNING TO MELT THAT HARD SHELL OF MEDICAL DIGNITY AND GET TO HIS HEART/ IF HE'D ONLY SEE ME AS A WOMAN, NOT JUST A NURSE/

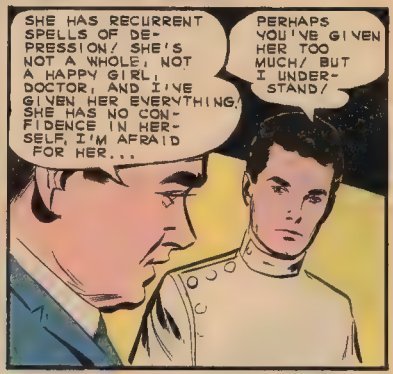
BY MORNING THE PATIENT'S PULSE AND CONDITION WERE NORMAL/ MISS HESTER CONTOIS WAS STILL WEAK FROM HER ORDEAL BUT PHYSICALLY NORMAL/
DID YOU TAKE THOSE PILLS DELIBERATELY MISS CONTOIS, OR WAS IT A MISTAKE?
I...I DON'T REALLY KNOW/ I WAS SO MIXED UP/ YOU SAVED MY LIFE, DOCTOR/

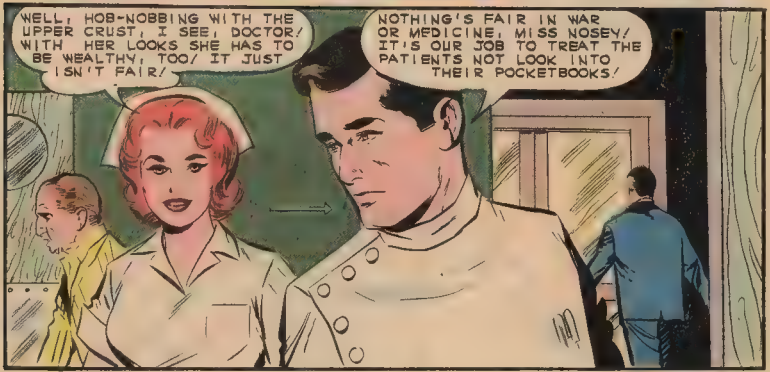
I CAN'T UNDERSTAND HOW A GIRL AS LOVELY AS YOU CAN SO COMPLICATE HER LIFE AS TO END UP HERE, LIKE THIS/
THANK YOU FOR THE COMPLIMENT, DOCTOR/ LET ME RETURN IT/ YOU ARE AN EXTREMELY HANDSOME MAN...AND A FINE AND DEDICATED ONE, TOO; I CAN SEE/

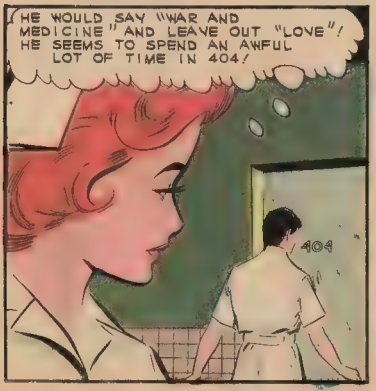
A MAN LIKE YOU COULD BE GOOD FOR A GIRL LIKE ME/ THEY SAY A WOMAN ALWAYS FALLS FOR HER DOCTOR...
DR. BENSON, YOU'RE WANTED AT THE DESK/


IT'S THE PATIENT'S FATHER/ HE'S HENRY CONTOIS, THE SHIPPING MAGNATE/ ALL KINDS OF MONEY AND INFLUENCE/
THANKS FOR THE REPORT, NURSE FINNEY/


YES, MR. CONTOIS YOUR DAUGHTER IS FINE/
I WAS AFRAID OF THIS/ SHE WAS ENGAGED/ THEN SHE OVERHEARD TALK THAT JASON WAS GOING TO MARRY HER FOR HER MONEY/ THIS ISN'T THE FIRST TIME IT'S HAPPENED/


SHE HAS RECURRENT SPELLS OF DEPRESSION/ SHE'S NOT A WHOLE, NOT A HAPPY GIRL, DOCTOR, AND I'VE GIVEN HER EVERYTHING/ SHE HAS NO CONFIDENCE IN HERSELF, I'M AFRAID FOR HER...
PERHAPS YOU'VE GIVEN HER TOO MUCH/ BUT I UNDERSTAND/


WELL, HOB-NOBBING WITH THE UPPER CRUST, I SEE, DOCTOR/ WITH HER LOOKS SHE HAS TO BE WEALTHY, TOO/ IT JUST ISN'T FAIR/
NOTHING'S FAIR IN WAR OR MEDICINE, MISS NOSEY/ IT'S OUR JOB TO TREAT THE PATIENTS NOT LOOK INTO THEIR POCKETBOOKS/


HE WOULD SAY "WAR AND MEDICINE" AND LEAVE OUT "LOVE"/ HE SEEMS TO SPEND AN AWFUL LOT OF TIME IN 404/
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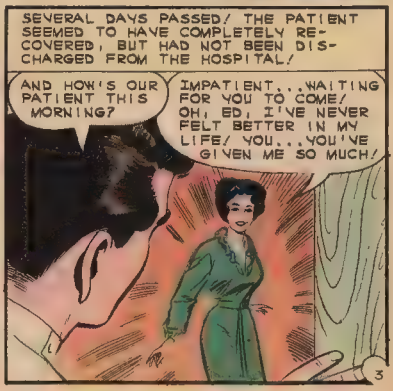
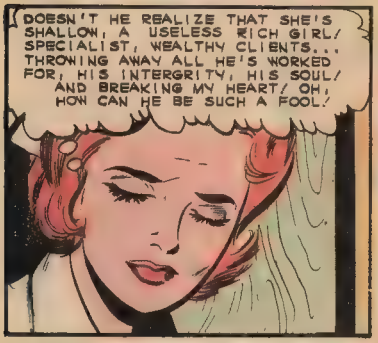
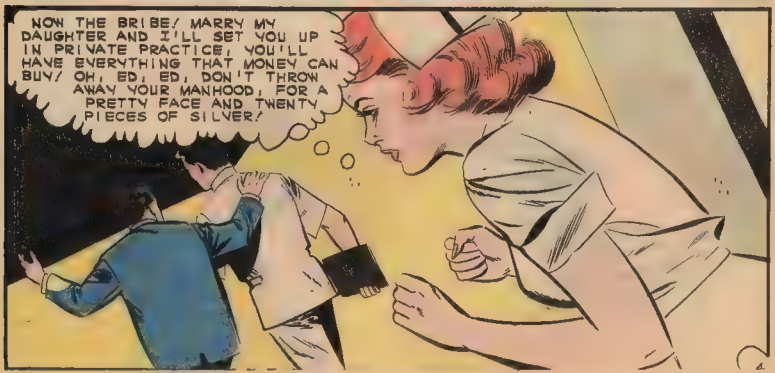

SEVERAL DAYS PASSED/ THE PATIENT SEEMED TO HAVE COMPLETELY RECOVERED, BUT HAD NOT BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE HOSPITAL/
AND HOW'S OUR PATIENT THIS MORNING?
IMPATIENT...WAITING FOR YOU TO COME/ OH, ED, I'VE NEVER FELT BETTER IN MY LIFE/ YOU...YOU'VE GIVEN ME SO MUCH/

CYNTHIA DOYLE

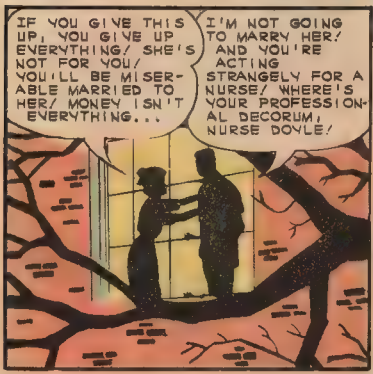
DARLING, YOU CAN LEAVE THIS GRUBBY PLACE OF LONG HOURS AND SHORT PAY/ DAD WILL SET YOU UP AS A SPECIALIST/ YOU'LL HAVE THE WEALTHIEST CLIENTS/ AND WE'LL HAVE ALL THE TIME IN THE WORLD TO BE TOGETHER/

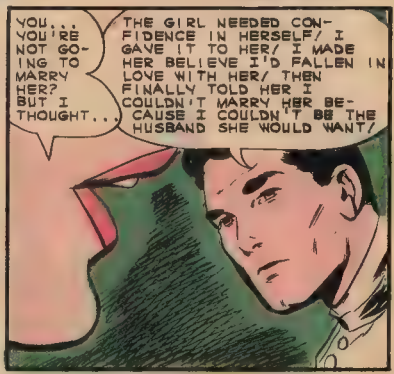

DOESN'T HE REALIZE THAT SHE'S SHALLOW, A USELESS RICH GIRL/ SPECIALIST, WEALTHY CLIENTS... THROWING AWAY ALL HE'S WORKED FOR; HIS INTEGRITY, HIS SOUL/ AND BREAKING MY HEART/ OH, HOW CAN HE BE SUCH A FOOL/

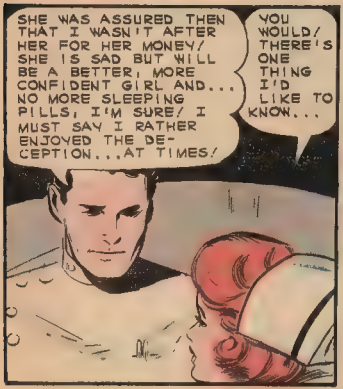

NOW THE BRIBE/ MARRY MY DAUGHTER AND I'LL SET YOU UP IN PRIVATE PRACTICE; YOU'LL HAVE EVERYTHING THAT MONEY CAN BUY/ OH, ED, ED, DON'T THROW AWAY YOUR MANHOOD, FOR A PRETTY FACE AND TWENTY PIECES OF SILVER/

I WANT TO TALK TO YOU, ED BENSON/
DOCTOR, IF YOU PLEASE, NURSE DOYLE/ WE ARE IN THE HOSPITAL, YOU KNOW/ AND I'M STILL A DOCTOR AND THE...

YOU WON'T BE A DOCTOR FOR VERY LONG IF YOU GO THROUGH WITH THIS/ YES, I KNOW ALL ABOUT IT/ ED, THINK OF WHAT ALL THIS MEANS TO YOU, EVEN THE LONG HOURS, THE HARD WORK/ IT'S PART OF YOUR LIFE, ED/


IF YOU GIVE THIS UP, YOU GIVE UP EVERYTHING/ SHE'S NOT FOR YOU/ YOU'LL BE MISERABLE MARRIED TO HER/ MONEY ISN'T EVERYTHING...
I'M NOT GOING TO MARRY HER/ AND YOU'RE ACTING STRANGELY FOR A NURSE/ WHERE'S YOUR PROFESSIONAL DECORUM, NURSE DOYLE/


YOU... YOU'RE NOT GOING TO MARRY HER? BUT I THOUGHT..
THE GIRL NEEDED CONFIDENCE IN HERSELF/ I GAVE IT TO HER/ I MADE HER BELIEVE I'D FALLEN IN LOVE WITH HER/ THEN FINALLY TOLD HER I COULDN'T MARRY HER BECAUSE I COULDN'T BE THE HUSBAND SHE WOULD WANT/


SHE WAS ASSURED THEN THAT I WASN'T AFTER HER FOR HER MONEY/ SHE IS SAD BUT WILL BE A BETTER, MORE CONFIDENT GIRL AND... NO MORE SLEEPING PILLS, I'M SURE/ I MUST SAY I RATHER ENJOYED THE DECEPTION...AT TIMES/
YOU WOULD/ THERE'S ONE THING I'D LIKE TO KNOW...

DID THE IDEA OF THE...ER...TREATMENT, COME BEFORE THE CLINCHES OR AFTERWARD, WHEN YOU'D TIME TO THINK IT OVER?
THAT'S SOMETHING YOU MAY NEVER KNOW, NURSE DOYLE/
DR. EDWARD BENSON, REPORT TO EMERGENCY/ DR. BENSON...
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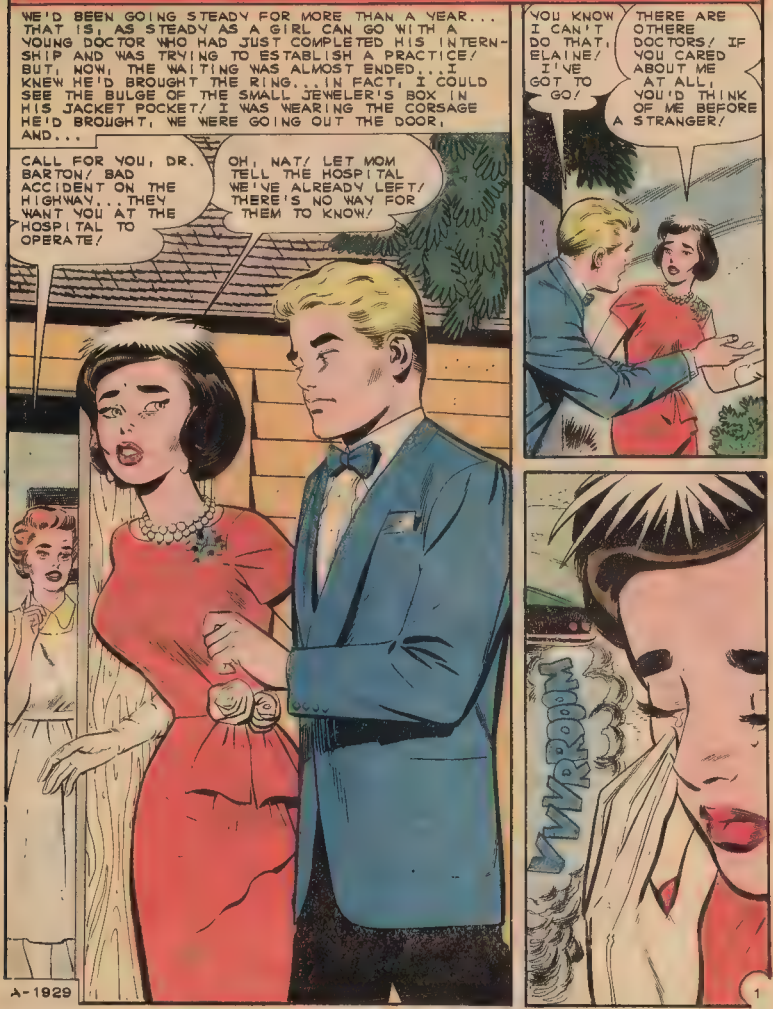
DOCTOR'S GIRL


WE'D BEEN GOING STEADY FOR MORE THAN A YEAR... THAT IS, AS STEADY AS A GIRL CAN GO WITH A YOUNG DOCTOR WHO HAD JUST COMPLETED HIS INTERNSHIP AND WAS TRYING TO ESTABLISH A PRACTICE/ BUT, NOW, THE WAITING WAS ALMOST ENDED... I KNEW HE'D BROUGHT THE RING... IN FACT, I COULD SEE THE BULGE OF THE SMALL JEWELER'S BOX IN HIS JACKET POCKET/ I WAS WEARING THE CORSAGE HE'D BROUGHT, WE WERE GOING OUT THE DOOR, AND...
CALL FOR YOU, DR. BARTON/ BAD ACCIDENT ON THE HIGHWAY... THEY WANT YOU AT THE HOSPITAL TO OPERATE/
OH, NAT/ LET MOM TELL THE HOSPITAL WE'VE ALREADY LEFT/ THERE'S NO WAY FOR THEM TO KNOW/
YOU KNOW I CAN'T DO THAT, ELAINE/ I'VE GOT TO GO/
THERE ARE OTHERE DOCTORS/ IF YOU CARED ABOUT ME AT ALL, YOU'D THINK OF ME BEFORE A STRANGER/
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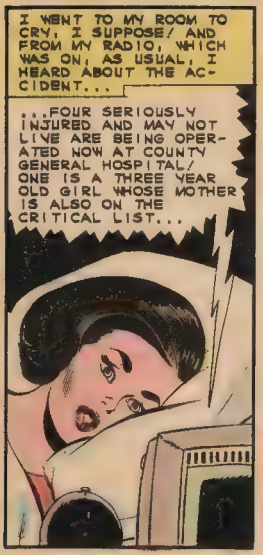
MOM HAD BEEN RIGHT THERE...SHE'D HEARD IT ALL/ I EXPECTED SYMPATHY FROM HER BUT...
ELAINE, I'M ASHAMED OF YOU/ IF YOU DON'T WANT TO BE INCONVENIENCED BY THESE EMERGENCY CALLS, YOU SHOULDN'T GO OUT WITH A DOCTOR/

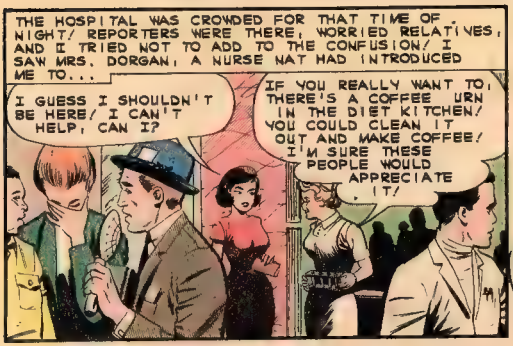
JUST TONIGHT, MOM/ I EXPECTED HIM TO PROPOSE AND YOU KNOW IT/
WELL, IF HE NEVERS DOES AT ALL NOW I WON'T BE SURPRISED/ GET ONE THING STRAIGHT...

NAT'S WORK WILL ALWAYS COME FIRST/ HE'LL LOVE YOU, ELAINE, BUT MOST OF HIS TIME WILL BE GIVEN TO OTHERS/


I WENT TO MY ROOM TO CRY, I SUPPOSE/ AND FROM MY RADIO, WHICH WAS ON, AS USUAL, I HEARD ABOUT THE ACCIDENT...
...FOUR SERIOUSLY INJURED AND MAY NOT LIVE ARE BEING OPERATED NOW AT COUNTY GENERAL HOSPITAL/ ONE IS A THREE YEAR OLD GIRL WHOSE MOTHER IS ALSO ON THE CRITICAL LIST...

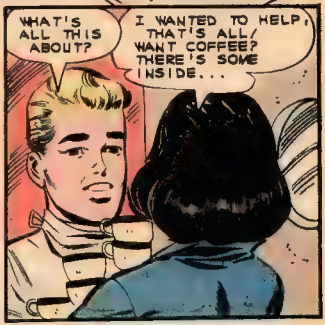
SUDDENLY, I KNEW HOW IMPORTANT MY MAN WAS TO THOSE PEOPLE/ HIS SKILL, HIS KNOWLEDGE, MIGHT KEEP THEM ALIVE/
I'M GOING TO THE HOSPITAL, MOM/
NAT WON'T HAVE TIME FOR YOU NOW, CHILD/

I MAY BE ABLE TO HELP SOMEONE, SOMEHOW/ AND NAT WILL BE TIRED WHEN IT'S OVER... AT LEAST, I CAN DRIVE HIM HOME/


THE HOSPITAL WAS CROWDED FOR THAT TIME OF NIGHT/ REPORTERS WERE THERE, WORRIED RELATIVES, AND I TRIED NOT TO ADD TO THE CONFUSION/ I SAW MRS. DORGAN, A NURSE NAT HAD INTRODUCED ME TO...
I GUESS I SHOULDN'T BE HERE/ I CAN'T HELP, CAN I?
IF YOU REALLY WANT TO, THERE'S A COFFEE URN IN THE DIET KITCHEN/ YOU COULD CLEAN IT OUT AND MAKE COFFEE/ I'M SURE THESE PEOPLE WOULD APPRECIATE IT/

SO...

YOUR DOCTOR SAVED THE LITTLE GIRL, ELAINE/ HE'S GOING TO BE - GOOD/
HE MAY NOT BE EXACTLY MINE ANY MORE, MRS. DORGAN/ I'M SURE HE WILL BE GOOD THOUGH...


WHAT'S ALL THIS ABOUT?
I WANTED TO HELP, THAT'S ALL/ WANT COFFEE? THERE'S SOME INSIDE...

HERE'S YOUR... NAT/ OH, NO, NOT HERE/
THERE'S SUPPOSED TO BE MOONLIGHT AND ROSES AND A ROMANTIC SETTING TO PUT THE GENTLEMAN IN THE MOOD...BUT I'VE NEVER SEEN YOU LOOK MORE BEAUTIFUL NOR LOVED YOU AS MUCH AS I DO NOW/

END

MARTHA MARSDEN MEDITATES

The Pursuit of Happiness

"I don't want my son to go through the hardships and suffering I had," remarked a father. "I want him to always be happy. And there isn't a thing I won't do for that boy of mine."

And this father was as good as his word. His son had the best of material things that money could buy. He had his car when he was sixteen; his suits came from the top tailoring outfits; he went to the best schools; and took two trips abroad. Family financial problems were never brought to his attention. He was taken into the father's business and given a good salary. He fell in love with a girl and wanted to marry her. Her father raised but one objection: "He isn't prepared to stand up under the hard knocks of life. He'll crack wide open when the going gets rough."

"My daughter is going to have an entirely different life than I had," remarked her widowed mother. "The best is none too good for her. I don't want her to know the suffering and poverty I had to go through."

And that girl is being raised in an ivory tower. With happiness as the only legitimate object in life. Fun, and plenty of it while you are single. And when you are married-it should be a romance that goes on forever. No clouds on the horizon and no rough sailing. When her aunt was fatally ill in the hospital her mother would not take her there. Why? "I don't want her to see the other side of life."

Is this a madness that is taking hold of a lot of parents? In my own city you have to walk only three blocks from an "exclusive" section of the town to see the slum area. The tough hard knocks, the pinching of a penny, the lack of substantial goods, the continuous bickering between mother and father, wilh illness and accidents banging at the door-seem to be the norm.

It is a normal thing for parents to desire that the lot of their children be bettered. But in doing so they go overboard. They present to their offsprings a one-sided sheltered picture of life. Not life as a whole but just one phase. And the tragedy of it is that this presented phase-the pursuit of happiness-becomes the goal of life.

So Louise falls in love with Bill. She shuts her eyes and does daydreaming. That little cottage in the suburbs. Bill doesn't have to spend many hours away from home. Never a problem. Never a worry. So she marries him and what happens in a two year period? The mortgage payment was met only by borrowing money from a finance company at a high rate of interest. And how is that payment going to be met? Bill changed his job three times. There never is enough money to pay all the bills.

The baby takes up so much time, and baby was sick and needed a lot of specialists. Worries-and more of them. What happened to happiness? Where it is? Louise finds she is suffering and has already consulted some experts in the field. She just isn't prepared to handle this phase of life. One great expert recently pointed out that all people are obliged to suffer in a various way. And that "happiness" is a by-product of resolving partially or wholly exasperating and difficult situations. This is a famous M.D. speaking and not a religious leader. I recently suggested to a parent that she, her daughter, and even the father, ask for an appointment with their religious leader. Have a heart-to-heart talk with their nineteen year old daughter about the fact that life can be hard and tough and not a bed of roses. You should have heard the objections raised:

"We don't want her to know that side of life-yet." As she phrased it there was a time limit. When? And how? I can almost predict what is going to happen the first time that this girl runs headlong into a bout with unpleasantness. She will blame someone. Who? Her father and mother, of course!

When people tell you that their marriage hit the rocks because of "incompatability"— I submit there is a different explanation for this term than the one generally used. Namely, that they were "incompatabile" because they were unable to work out together the hard problems and knocks of life. My old grandmother had the path of happiness together. But it takes real people to handle the bumps and knocks of life together."

At present there is a great outpouring of books on the problems of Sex. Parents are urged to read these books and thus be in a sound position to help their children intelligently know the situations to be faced. There are books for Talks With Girls. And books for Talks With Boys. The parents are told they must be frank and truthful.

Why not the same so that our children get a real truthful picture of what life is. I just had a father, about to explode at the many things his son demands from him, tell me: "When are we going to get it through the heads of our kids that there is no money tree in the back yard?"

A lot of us in life cherish illusions ad delusions. We still go on looking for the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow. But what happens when illusions and delusions go smack against the wall of reality? Do we close our eyes and stuff up our ears? Do we stick our head in the sand like the story they tell us about the ostrich when danger is near? Or should we take the attitude of our pioneer parents when they crossed the plains in covered wagons: "Life has got a lot of things on its way and you are better prepared to meet them-if you know what they are and what to do." So Jane knew how to dance and sing when they made merry at a stop on the plain. But she also knew what to do when an Indian attack took place. Life wasn't one sided for her. It was a complete picture with nothing left out.

It's about time a lot of parents did the same. There is no way to escape your share of worry and problems. But there is a way to handle them sensibly. This is what parents must teach their children.

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Bill Should get the Bill.

Among the many letters which I receive asking for advice and help there was one today that wanted neither. Just a girl a bit puzzled and angry. She goes out with her boy friend and somehow when she is through she manages to pay the bill. Whether it be gas for the car; a visit to the movies; or a stop at the hamburger stand. This has happened to other girls and it probably will continue. It isn't exactly a pleasant situation.

It may be that the boy friend is the kind who is really playing the girl for a sucker. He is always short of change. And doesn't have cash in his pocket. I suppose you might add he also manages to show up at her home whenever her mother has prepared a good meal.

With this type of fellow the only sensible thing is to drop him like a hot potato. If he had any serious intentions he would go out and work and earn the money to take out the girl. And he would want to be sure that someday he would soon be capable of supporting a family. One simple way to test this kind of a fellow is for the girl to announce she is short of money. They are going out where the air and the view are free. A visit to the zoo or to the museum. And since she is short of cash that even includes the fare on the bus. So they will walk three miles each way. If he sees he can't play the girl for a sucker any more he will just fade away.

Now there are nice fellows going to college and getting an allowance from dad. That includes carfare, lunch money, and books needed. Generally the old man doesn't like to come across with money for his son to spend on a girl. I am thinking of the father who balked and pointed out to his son: "You want me to give you enough money to take your girl to a show? Your mother hasn't see one in the past five years. If I had the money I think you would have to admit mother comes first."

There are girls who under these conditions go "Dutch Treat." They know beforehand what they are going to do and how much it will cost. Sometimes it may be a group of girls and boys going out together. Sometimes just a girl and boy. And some of these girls have sort of understandings with their boys friends about the future, when the fellow does graduate and get a job. While I'm not enthusiastic about the "Dutch Treat" idea, but when there is a nice fellow who really hasn't the money it will do.

But I can't see the girl paying the bill. Bill should get the Bill!

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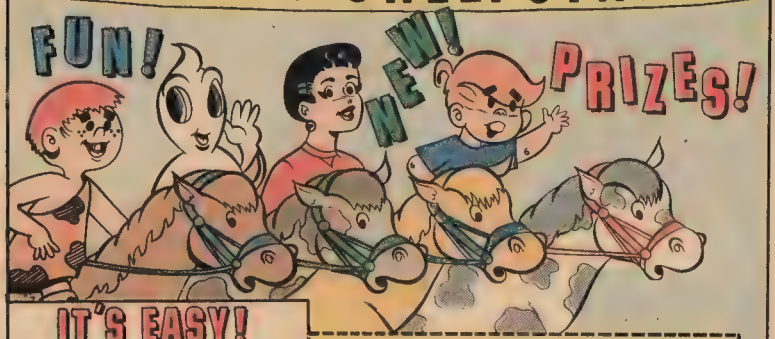

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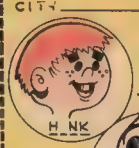

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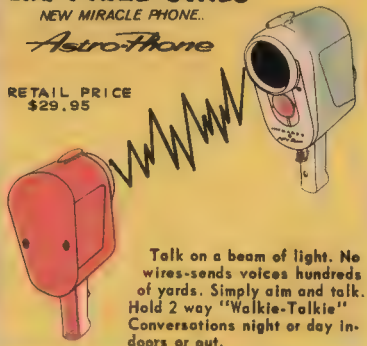

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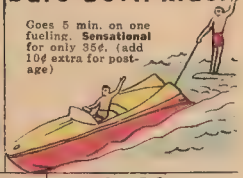

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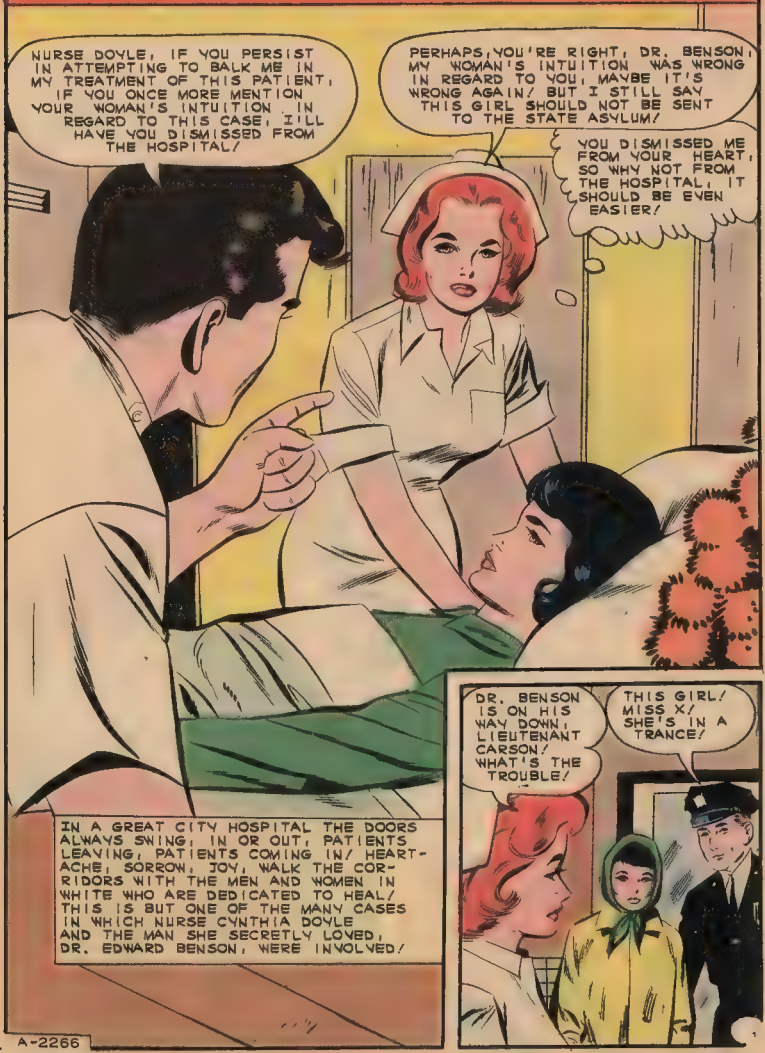
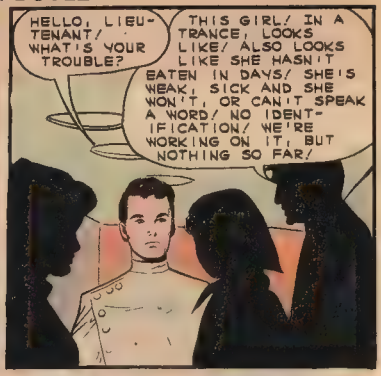
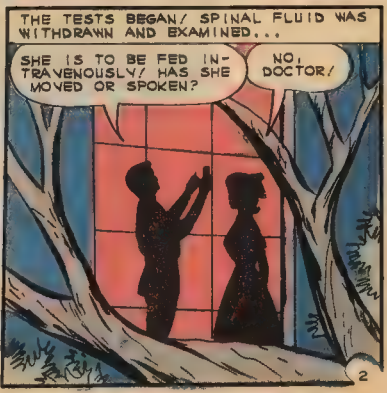

NURSE DOYLE, IF YOU PERSIST IN ATTEMPTING TO BALK ME IN MY TREATMENT OF THIS PATIENT, IF YOU ONCE MORE MENTION YOUR WOMAN'S INTUITION IN REGARD TO THIS CASE, I'LL HAVE YOU DISMISSED FROM THE HOSPITAL/
PERHAPS, YOU'RE RIGHT, DR. BENSON, MY WOMAN'S INTUITION WAS WRONG IN REGARD TO YOU, MAYBE IT'S WRONG AGAIN/ BUT I STILL SAY THIS GIRL SHOULD NOT BE SENT TO THE STATE ASYLUM/
YOU DISMISSED ME FROM YOUR HEART, SO WHY NOT FROM THE HOSPITAL, IT SHOULD BE EVEN EASIER/
IN A GREAT CITY HOSPITAL THE DOORS ALWAYS SWING, IN OR OUT; PATIENTS LEAVING, PATIENTS COMING IN/ HEARTACHE; SORROW, JOY, WALK THE CORRIDORS WITH THE MEN AND WOMEN IN WHITE WHO ARE DEDICATED TO HEAL/ THIS IS BUT ONE OF THE MANY CASES IN WHICH NURSE CYNTHIA DOYLE AND THE MAN SHE SECRETLY LOVED, DR. EDWARD BENSON, WERE INVOLVED/
DR. BENSON IS ON HIS WAY DOWN, LIEUTENANT CARSON/ WHAT'S THE TROUBLE/
THIS GIRL/ MISS X/ SHE'S IN A TRANCE/

CYNTHIA DOYLE

MISS X?
THAT'S WHAT WE CALL HER/ SHE WAS PICKED UP WANDERING THE STREETS/ NOT A SHRED OF IDENT-IFICATION/ WE DON'T KNOW WHO SHE IS OR WHERE SHE CAME FROM/


HELLO, LIEU-TENANT/ WHAT'S YOUR TROUBLE?
THIS GIRL/ IN A TRANCE, LOOKS LIKE/ ALSO LOOKS LIKE SHE HASN'T EATEN IN DAYS/ SHE'S WEAK, SICK AND SHE WON'T, OR CAN'T SPEAK A WORD/ NO IDENT-IFICATION/ WE'RE WORKING ON IT, BUT NOTHING SO FAR/

MISS X WAS MADE COMFORTABLE IN ROOM 18/
CAN YOU HEAR ME, DEAR? NOW DON'T WORRY, WE'RE GOING TO FIX YOU UP FINE/ WE'LL FIND OUT WHAT IS WRONG WITH YOU AND CURE IT/



I WISH THAT, JUST ONCE, HE'D LOOK AS CLOSELY AT ME AS HE DOES AT ONE OF HIS PATIENTS/ PERHAPS, THEN HE'D SEE THE WOMAN INSTEAD OF JUST THE UNIFORM/ THE WOMAN'S HEART, THE WOMAN'S LOVE/
WE'LL DO A SERIES OF HEAD X-RAYS/ HER CONDITION COULD BE DUE TO A BRAIN TUMOR/
I DON'T THINK SO/
WHAT? YOU DON'T THINK SO? IS THAT WHAT YOU SAID, NURSE?
YES, THAT'S WHAT I SAID... I THINK SHE'S HAD AN EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCE/ PROBABLY SOMETHING INVOLVING LOVE/ LOOK AT HER...ABOUT 17, PRETTY/ SHE MUST HAVE A BOYFRIEND SOMEWHERE/
AND ON WHAT DO YOU BASE THIS MAGNIFICENT DIAGNOSIS?
WOMAN'S INTUITION, I SUPPOSE/
NURSE CYNTHIA DOYLE, WE LIVE IN A MODERN AGE AND HAVE THE FACILITIES OF ONE OF THE FINEST MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS IN THE WORLD AT OUR DISPOSAL/ WE'LL USE THOSE FACILITIES RATHER THAN "WOMAN'S INTUITION/"
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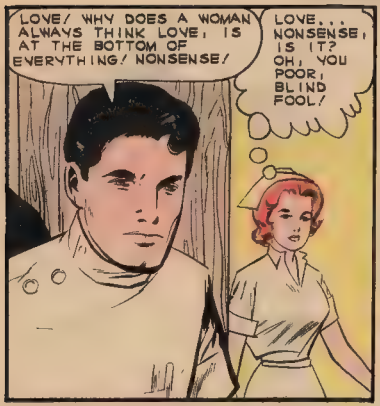
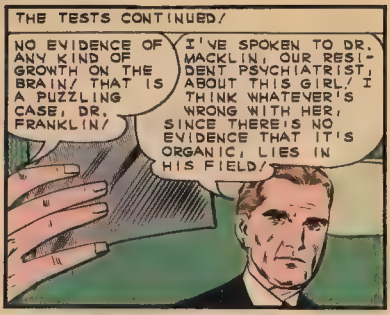
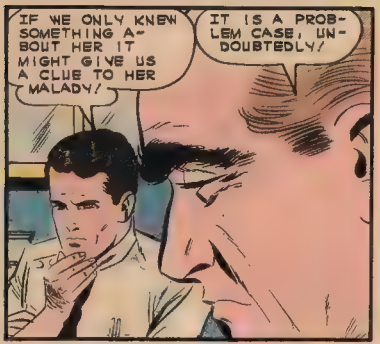

LOVE/ WHY DOES A WOMAN ALWAYS THINK LOVE, IS AT THE BOTTOM OF EVERYTHING/ NONSENSE/
LOVE... NONSENSE, IS IT? OH, YOU POOR, BLIND FOOL/


THE TESTS CONTINUED/
NO EVIDENCE OF ANY KIND OF GROWTH ON THE BRAIN/ THAT IS A PUZZLING CASE, DR. FRANKLIN/
I'VE SPOKEN TO DR. MACKLIN, OUR RESIDENT PSYCHIATRIST, ABOUT THIS GIRL/ I THINK WHATEVER'S WRONG WITH HER, SINCE THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT IT'S ORGANIC, LIES IN HIS FIELD/

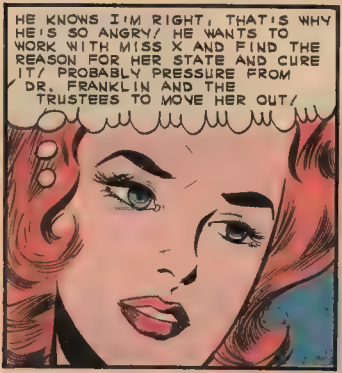

IF WE ONLY KNEW SOMETHING ABOUT HER IT MIGHT GIVE US A CLUE TO HER MALADY/
IT IS A PROBLEM CASE, UNDOUBTEDLY/

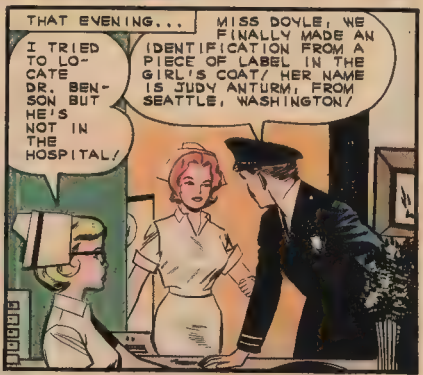
WELL, I'M GOING TO GET SOME SLEEP/ I'M ALL IN/
A DOCTOR'S CONSTANT DILEMMA/ TOMORROW CONSULT WITH DR. MACKLIN/ I DON'T THINK THERE IS ANY WAY WE CAN HELP THIS GIRL HERE/ WE NEED EVERY BED/

THE NEXT DAY...
TOMORROW MISS X WILL BE SENT TO THE STATE ASYLUM/ WHATEVER'S WRONG WITH HER ISN'T ORGANIC/ THE GIRL NEEDS PSYCHIATRIC HELP/
ED, YOU CAN'T DO THAT/ SHE'S NOT INSANE/ THEY WON'T EVEN KNOW HOW TO REACH HER SINCE THEY KNOW NOTHING ABOUT HER/ LIEUTENANT CARSON WILL MAKE AN IDENTIFICATION; I'M SURE/ THEN WE CAN...

YOU HEARD MY ORDERS, NURSE/ AND SHE IS TO BE LEFT ALONE UNTIL SHE LEAVES/
I WON'T DO IT/ GET SOMEONE ELSE TO CARRY OUT YOUR ORDERS/

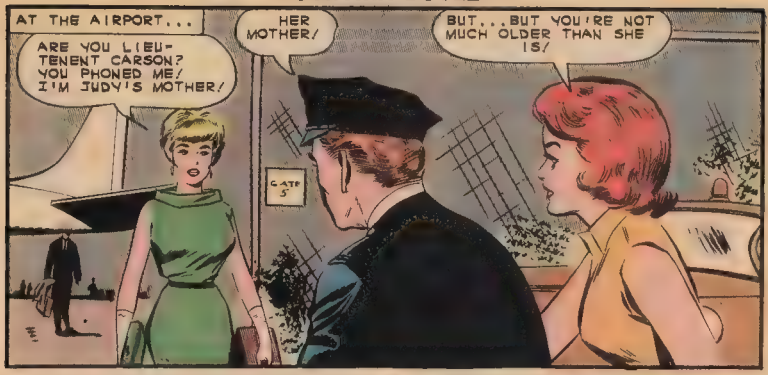
YOU WILL DO AS YOU'RE TOLD/ IF YOU DON'T, IF YOU PERSIST IN THIS ATTITUDE, I'LL HAVE YOU DISMISSED FROM THIS HOSPITAL/ I'M FED UP WITH YOUR INTERFERENCE/


HE KNOWS I'M RIGHT, THAT'S WHY HE'S SO ANGRY/ HE WANTS TO WORK WITH MISS X AND FIND THE REASON FOR HER STATE AND CURE IT/ PROBABLY PRESSURE FROM DR. FRANKLIN AND THE TRUSTEES TO MOVE HER OUT/


THAT EVENING...
I TRIED TO LOCATE DR. BENSON BUT HE'S NOT IN THE HOSPITAL/
MISS DOYLE, WE FINALLY MADE AN IDENTIFICATION FROM A PIECE OF LABEL IN THE GIRL'S COAT/ HER NAME IS JUDY ANTURM, FROM SEATTLE, WASHINGTON/

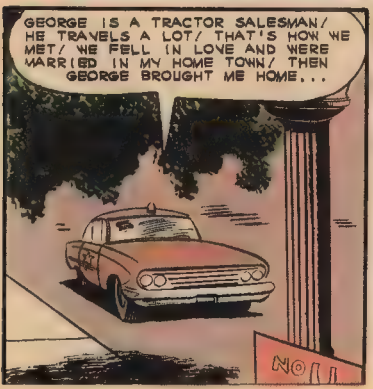
GOODNESS/ HOW DID SHE GET ALL THE WAY HERE...AND IN HER STATE/
WE'LL KNOW THE ANSWERS SOON/ I CONTACTED HER MOTHER/ SHE'S FLYING HERE I'M GOING TO THE AIRPORT NOW/

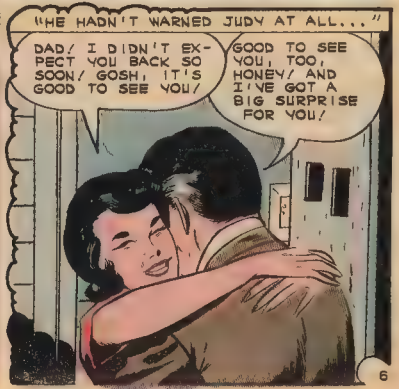
WAIT/ LET ME GO WITH YOU/ I'LL GET MY COAT/
ALL RIGHT/ IT ISN'T OFTEN I HAVE THE COMPANY OF A GIRL AS PRETTY AS YOU/


AT THE AIRPORT...
ARE YOU LIEUTENENT CARSON? YOU PHONED ME/ I'M JUDY'S MOTHER/
HER MOTHER/
BUT...BUT YOU'RE NOT MUCH OLDER THAN SHE IS/
GATE 5

I...I'M AFRAID THAT'S WHAT HAS CAUSED ALL THIS TROUBLE AND WHAT'S HAPPENED TO POOR JUDY/ I'M HER STEP-MOTHER/ I'M 19/ GEORGE, HER FATHER, AND I WERE MARRIED JUST A SHORT WHILE AGO/

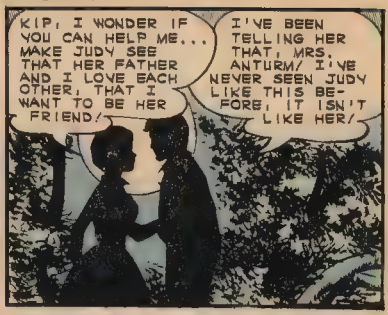
PERHAPS YOU'D BETTER TELL ME ALL ABOUT IT BEFORE YOU SEE JUDY/

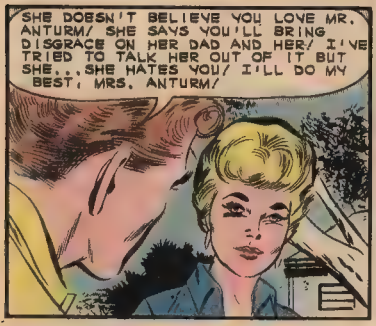

GEORGE IS A TRACTOR SALESMAN/ HE TRAVELS A LOT/ THAT'S HOW WE MET/ WE FELL IN LOVE AND WERE MARRIED IN MY HOME TOWN/ THEN GEORGE BROUGHT ME HOME...
NOLL

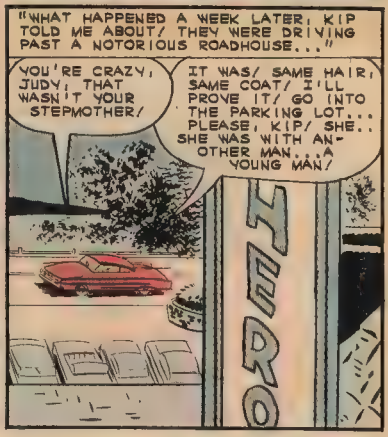

"HE HADN'T WARNED JUDY AT ALL..."
DAD/ I DIDN'T EXPECT YOU BACK SO SOON/ GOSH, IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU/
GOOD TO SEE YOU, TOO, HONEY/ AND I'VE GOT A BIG SURPRISE FOR YOU/

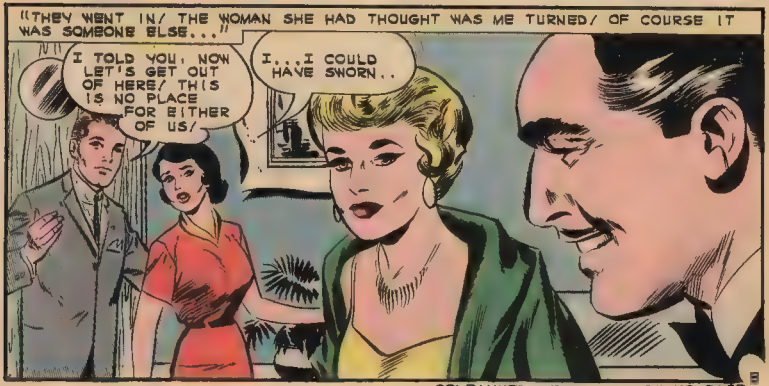
JUDY, THIS IS YOUR NEW MOTHER/ WE WERE MARRIED/ IN GRAND FALLS TWO DAYS AGO/
HELLO, JUDY/ YOUR DAD'S TOLD ME SO MUCH A-BOUT YOU/
MY...MY MOTHER/
SHE...SHE'S NOT MUCH OLDER THAN ME/
WE CAN BE BETTER FRIENDS BECAUSE OF THAT, JUDY/
K...KEEP AWAY FROM ME/ OH, DADDY, HOW COULD YOU...
JUDY, COME BACK HERE...
LET HER GO, GEORGE/ SHE'S HURT AND SHOCKED/ SHE'LL GET OVER IT/
SHE'LL GO TO KIP'S HOUSE/ THAT'S HER BOY-FRIEND/ NICE KID/ THEY'VE BEEN IN LOVE FOR YEARS... GREW UP TOGETHER/ GUESS THEY'LL GET MARRIED SOME DAY/
IF SHE'S IN LOVE HERSELF THEN SHE'LL UNDERSTAND ABOUT US/
"BUT JUDY NEVER STOPPED RESENTING ME, HER TEENAGE MOTHER/ AN UN-HAPPY, ARMED TRUCE EXISTED IN THE HOUSE/
SEE YOU TO-MORROW, JUDY/
ALL RIGHT, KIP/

CYNTHIA DOYLE


KIP, I WONDER IF YOU CAN HELP ME... MAKE JUDY SEE THAT HER FATHER AND I LOVE EACH OTHER, THAT I WANT TO BE HER FRIEND/
I'VE BEEN TELLING HER THAT, MRS. ANTURM/ I'VE NEVER SEEN JUDY LIKE THIS BEFORE, IT ISN'T LIKE HER/


SHE DOESN'T BELIEVE YOU LOVE MR. ANTURM/ SHE SAYS YOU'LL BRING DISGRACE ON HER DAD AND HER/ I'VE TRIED TO TALK HER OUT OF IT BUT SHE...SHE HATES YOU/ I'LL DO MY BEST, MRS. ANTURM/


"WHAT HAPPENED A WEEK LATER, KIP TOLD ME ABOUT/ THEY WERE DRIVING PAST A NOTORIOUS ROADHOUSE..."
YOU'RE CRAZY, JUDY! THAT WASN'T YOUR STEPMOTHER/
IT WAS/ SAME HAIR, SAME COAT/ I'LL PROVE IT/ GO INTO THE PARKING LOT... PLEASE, KIP/ SHE.. SHE WAS WITH ANOTHER MAN...A YOUNG MAN/
TIRO


"THEY WENT IN/ THE WOMAN SHE HAD THOUGHT WAS ME TURNED/ OF COURSE IT WAS SOMEONE ELSE..."
I TOLD YOU, NOW LET'S GET OUT OF HERE/ THIS IS NO PLACE FOR EITHER OF US/
I...I COULD HAVE SWORN..

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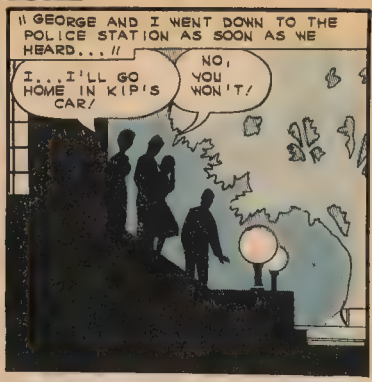
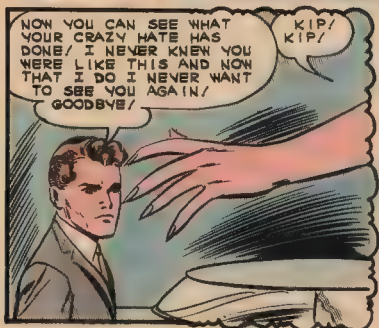
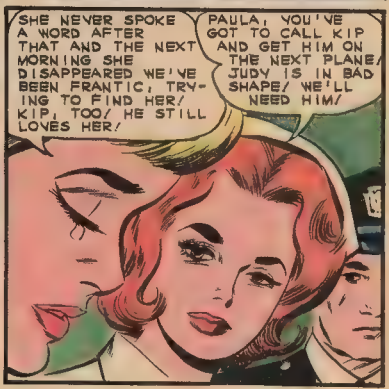
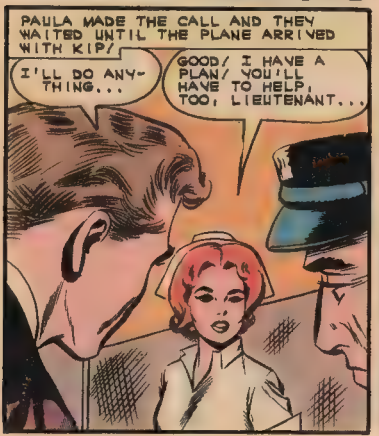
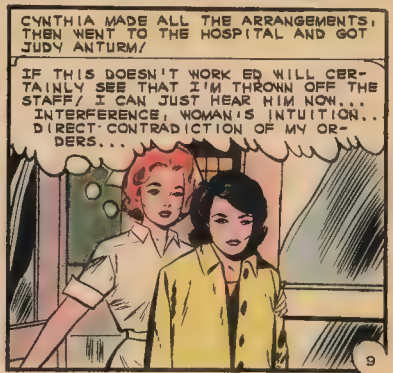
THIS IS A RAID/ EVERYBODY STAY JUST WHERE YOU ARE/


" GEORGE AND I WENT DOWN TO THE POLICE STATION AS SOON AS WE HEARD..."
I...I'LL GO HOME IN KIP'S CAR/
NO, YOU WON'T/


NOW YOU CAN SEE WHAT YOUR CRAZY HATE HAS DONE/ I NEVER KNEW YOU WERE LIKE THIS AND NOW THAT I DO I NEVER WANT TO SEE YOU AGAIN/ GOODBYE/
KIP/ KIP/

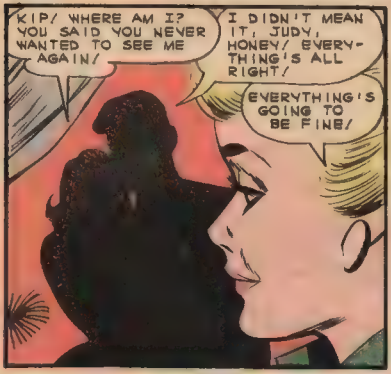

SHE NEVER SPOKE A WORD AFTER THAT AND THE NEXT MORNING SHE DISAPPEARED WE'VE BEEN FRANTIC, TRYING TO FIND HER/ KIP, TOO/ HE STILL LOVES HER/
PAULA, YOU'VE GOT TO CALL KIP AND GET HIM ON THE NEXT PLANE/ JUDY IS IN BAD SHAPE/ WE'LL NEED HIM/


PAULA MADE THE CALL AND THEY WAITED UNTIL THE PLANE ARRIVED WITH KIP/
I'LL DO ANYTHING...
GOOD/ I HAVE A PLAN/ YOU'LL HAVE TO HELP, TOO, LIEUTENANT...

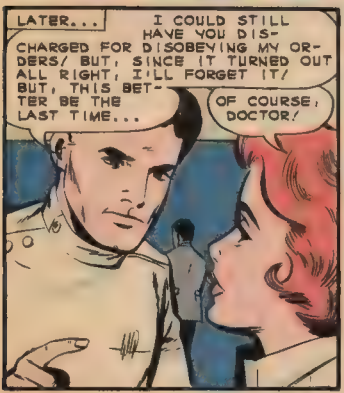

CYNTHIA MADE ALL THE ARRANGEMENTS; THEN WENT TO THE HOSPITAL AND GOT JUDY ANTURM/
IF THIS DOESN'T WORK ED WILL CERTAINLY SEE THAT I'M THROWN OFF THE STAFF/ I CAN JUST HEAR HIM NOW... INTERFERENCE; WOMAN'S INTUITION.. DIRECT CONTRADICTION OF MY ORDERS...

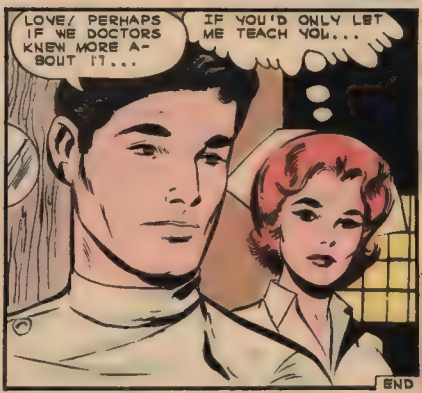
THEY DROVE TO A ROADHOUSE, THE OWNER OF WHOM HAD BEEN A PATIENT OF CYNTHIA'S/

THIS IS A RAID/ NOBODY MOVE/
KIP? KIP/


KIP/ WHERE AM I? YOU SAID YOU NEVER WANTED TO SEE ME AGAIN/
I DIDN'T MEAN IT, JUDY, HONEY/ EVERYTHING'S ALL RIGHT/
EVERYTHING'S GOING TO BE FINE/

OH, PAULA, I'VE BEEN SUCH A FOOL/ I WAS SO HURT...I BOUGHT A TRAIN TICKET; THEN SOMETHING SEEMED TO HAPPEN AND I DON'T REMEMBER ANYTHING ELSE/ C...CAN YOU FORGIVE ME?
THERE'S NOTHING TO FORGIVE/ WE'RE GOING HOME TO YOUR DAD...


LATER...
I COULD STILL HAVE YOU DISCHARGED FOR DISOBEYING MY ORDERS/ BUT, SINCE IT TURNED OUT ALL RIGHT, I'LL FORGET IT/ BUT, THIS BETTER BE THE LAST TIME...
OF COURSE, DOCTOR/


LOVE/ PERHAPS IF WE DOCTORS KNEW MORE ABOUT IT...
IF YOU'D ONLY LET ME TEACH YOU...
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